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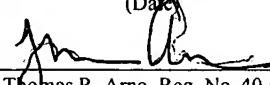
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**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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Sir:

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- Response to Election of Species Requirement in 1 page.
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In the Office Action mailed December 1, 2006, the Examiner required election of one of five species.

In response to the Election of Species requirement, Applicant elects the species identified by the Examiner as Species I, and notes that Claims 1-24, 27-31, and 38-39 are readable upon the elected species.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: 12/28/06

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